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Commissioner Lee moved the following:

CRC Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete line 10

and insert:

Sections 3 and 8 of Article III of the State Constitution
are

After line 50

insert:

SECTION 8. Executive approval and veto.—

(a) Every bill passed by the legislature shall be presented



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12 to the governor for approval as soon as practicable after
13 passage, but no more than fourteen days after adjournment sine
14 die of the session at which the bill passed. The bill ~~and~~ shall
15 become a law if the governor approves and signs it, or fails to
16 veto it within seven consecutive days after presentation. If
17 during that period or on the seventh day the legislature
18 adjourns sine die or takes a recess of more than thirty days,
19 the governor shall have fifteen consecutive days from the date
20 of presentation to act on the bill. In all cases except general
21 appropriation bills, the veto shall extend to the entire bill.
22 The governor may veto any specific appropriation in a general
23 appropriation bill, but may not veto any qualification or
24 restriction without also vetoing the appropriation to which it
25 relates.

26 (b) When a bill or any specific appropriation of a general
27 appropriation bill has been vetoed, the governor shall transmit
28 signed objections thereto to the house in which the bill
29 originated if in session. If that house is not in session, the
30 governor shall file them with the custodian of state records,
31 who shall lay them before that house at its next regular or
32 special session, whichever occurs first, and they shall be
33 entered on its journal. If the originating house votes to re-
34 enact a vetoed measure, whether in a regular or special session,
35 and the other house does not consider or fails to re-enact the
36 vetoed measure, no further consideration by either house at any
37 subsequent session may be taken. If a vetoed measure is
38 presented at a special session and the originating house does
39 not consider it, the measure will be available for consideration
40 at any intervening special session and until the end of the next



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41 regular session.

42 (c) If each house shall, by a two-thirds vote, re-enact the
43 bill or reinstate the vetoed specific appropriation of a general
44 appropriation bill, the vote of each member voting shall be
45 entered on the respective journals, and the bill shall become
46 law or the specific appropriation reinstated, the veto
47 notwithstanding.

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49 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

50 And the title is amended as follows:

51 Delete lines 2 - 5

52 and insert:

53 Sections 3 and 8 of Article III of the State
54 Constitution to provide that the Legislature convene
55 for regular session on the second Tuesday after the
56 first Monday in January of each even-numbered year and
57 to prescribe the timeframe by which bills passed by
58 the Legislature must be presented to the Governor.